

**HOUSE CONCURRENT  
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A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION Honoring the Life of State Representative William Roland Stine.

*Whereas, State Representative William Roland Stine departed this earthly life on April 24, 2003;*

*Whereas, Representative Stine was born September 7, 1940, in Shelbyville, Shelby County, Indiana, where his family has resided for many generations;*

*Whereas, Representative Stine was elected to the Indiana House of Representatives in November of 2002 and served the residents of House District 57, which includes most of Shelby County and portions of Bartholomew County, with distinction and dedication;*

*Whereas, Prior to his election to the General Assembly, Roland served as a member of the Shelbyville City Council from 1988-2002, serving as its president from 2000-2002;*

*Whereas, Roland was a teacher of United States history and government at Shelbyville High School, serving the children of that school for forty years with compassion and excellence;*

*Whereas, Roland received the Outstanding Young Educator Award from the Shelbyville Jaycees;*



*Whereas, Representative Stine was an active member of Rotary International and the First Methodist Church;*

*Whereas, Roland graduated from Hendricks Elementary, Shelbyville Junior/Senior High School, and received bachelors and masters degrees from Indiana University;*

*Whereas, In addition to Roland's exceptional service to the community, the state, and the children of Shelbyville, Roland Stine was devoted to his family;*

*Whereas, Roland Stine married his sweetheart, Carole Fricker, in 1965, and he loved her dearly;*

*Whereas, Roland was the beloved father of two children, Susanne, who is a first grade teacher, and Jason, who is an environmental scientist;*

*Whereas, Representative Stine was a role model not only for his students, who deeply loved and appreciated him, but also for all who knew him, young and old;*

*Whereas, Roland is most loved for his compassion, optimism, sense of humor, bright smile, twinkle in his eyes and his pats on the back and affirming touch on the shoulder;*

*Whereas, William Roland Stine was a gentle man who loved God and followed the teachings of Christ in his daily life, showing clearly his love for people and the value he placed on life;*

*Whereas, All those who were fortunate to be touched by the life of Roland Stine will forever treasure his life and the beauty and love he brought to the lives of all around him;*

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives  
of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,  
the Senate concurring:



1           SECTION 1. The Indiana General Assembly honors the life of  
 2           State Representative William Roland Stine and is deeply grateful for  
 3           his service to the legislature, the state, and his community.  
 4           SECTION 2. The Principal Clerk of the Indiana House of  
 5           Representatives is directed to transmit a copy of this resolution to Mrs.  
 6           Carole Stine, daughter Susanne, son Jason, and Shelbyville High  
 7           School.

